

**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION**

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701039-050001-C	CLASS	SUBCLASS		

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This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application Number PCT/US00 / 17929, filed on 29 June 2000 entitled FUSION PROTEIN AND USES THEREOF

which designated the United States.

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	- 3 =			x \$_____ =	
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1. Enclosed are the specification, claims and drawing(s).

2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4. ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

5. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.

7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a ☒ continuation ☐ division international application number PCT/US00 17929, filed 29 June 2000 (status, abandoned, pending, etc.)."

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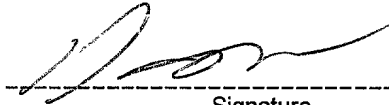
8. ☐ A declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 is enclosed.
9. ☐ Priority of foreign application number \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).
- ☐ The certified copy is enclosed.
10. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
11. ☒ Also enclosed: Express Mail Cert. Label No. EL565093570US and Return Receipt Postcard.

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- ☐ Inventor(s)/Applicant(s)
- ☐ Assignee of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- ☒ Attorney or agent of record
- ☐ Filed under 37 CFR 1.34(a)  
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☐ \*Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Bruce J. Mayer, Kalle Saksela and Tomas Kirchausen

Application No.: To be assigned                      Group: To be assigned

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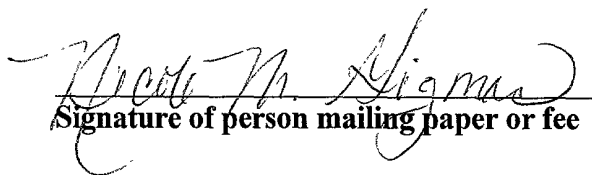
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1. Request for Filing a Continuation or Division of an International Application (2 pp.);
2. Continuation Patent Application (30 pp.): Specification – 23 pp.; Claims 4 pp.; Drawings - 2 pp.; and Abstract – 1 pg.;
3. Preliminary Amendment (4 pp.);
4. Return Receipt Postcard;

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